These dues would be sought to be liquidated on case to case basis in consultation with the Ministry of Finance with reference to relevant guidelines.

Revival of HMT, Srinagar and Nagaland Paper Pulp Ltd.

188. SHRI DIPANKAR MUKHERJEE: Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the revival plans of HMT Chinar Watches Limited, Srinagar, J & K and Nagaland Paper Pulp Limited, are under Government's consideration;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, whether socio-political factor is being taken into consideration for re-exploring the possibilities of restarting and reviving the above units; if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (SHRI SONTOSH MOHAN DEV): (a) to (c) Government are currently examining revival plans in respect of HMT Chinar Watches Ltd., Srinagar, J & K and Nagaland Pulp and Paper Co., Tuli with reference to their possible financial and manpower restructuring, strengthening of manufacturing and marketing activities keeping the overall socio-economic factors in view.

TV channel for agricultural education

189. SHRI S.M. LALJAN BASHA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the IGNOU has planned to start an exclusive TV channel for the agricultural education;

(b) if so, the details of the level of agricultural education that would be imparted through TV;

(c) whether the IGNOU has tied up with any agricultural university for this purpose; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and the medium of instructions?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI MD. ALI ASHRAF FATMI): (a) An exclusive National TV Channel for agriculture, "Kisan Channel" is being